REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

(INCLUDING FILING FEE AND/OR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FEE)

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective May 29, 2000 provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

To: Commissioner for Patents Box RCE PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		Attorney Docket No.:826.1891			
First Named	Koichi SHIMIZU	L			
Inventor					
Application No.	10/649,729	Group Art Unit	2122		
Filing Date	August 28, 2003	Examiner	Blake Betz		
CPA Filing Date		Confirmation No	5709		
Title of Invention	SIMPLIFIED MODEL CREATION ASSISTING APPARATUS				
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.					
1.					
Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 (Box a or b must be completed)					
 a. ☐ Previously submitted i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed onMarch 22, 2006(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered). ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed oniii. ☐ Other b. ☐ Enclosed i. ☐ Amendment/Reply ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) iv. ☐ Other 					
Miscellaneous					
a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required). b. Other					

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	BAS	SIC FEE	\$	790.00		
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>February 22, 2006</u> ,						
petition is hereb						
RCE is filed, for months (\$450))		330.00				
(\$2,160):		000.00				
Suspension Fee						
Total of above Calculations =			\$	1120.00		
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).						
TOTAL FEES DUE =			\$	1120.00		
4. Small entity status:						
a. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.						
b. A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status was previously filed and such status is still proper and desired.						
c. is no longer claimed.						
5. Other:						
6. METHOD OF PAYMENT						
A check in the amount of \$1120.00 is enclosed.						
Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to Deposit Account No. 19-3935. (A duplicate copy of this form is						
enclosed.) 7. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION						
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 (filing fees)						
or 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application and of any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 to maintain pendency hereof and of any such related application to:						
Deposit Account No. 19-3935.						
8. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS						
STAAS & HALSEY LLP						
21171						
PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE						
9. SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED						
NAME	J. Randall Beckers	REGISTRATIO	ON NO.	30,358		
	/J. Randall Beckers/		April 21,	2006		
SIGNATURE	1-1	DATE		[D 0 -f 0]		